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Money on bond and mortgage and in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. del

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia--In Chancery.

Between FREDERICK REYNOLDS, by his next friend ALEXANDER HOLMES, Plaintiff,
AND
JOB BATCHELOR, Defendant.

SATURDAY, the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1878.

UPON READING THE BILL OF COMPLAINT filed in this cause on the 23rd day of November 1878, and upon reading the several affidavits of Alexander Holmes, John Chapman Davie, Nathaniel Mitchell and James Dudgeon, and upon hearing Mr. Robertson as of counsel for the plaintiff, I do order that a writ of injunction do issue out of this Honorable Court to restrain the defendant from further proceeding in the action now pending in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, wherein the present Defendant, is Plaintiff and the present Plaintiff is Defendant on the promissory notes mentioned in the Bill of Complaint, until the hearing of this cause, and to restrain the Defendant, his servants or agents, from interfering with the Plaintiff, his servants or agents, in the conduct of the Plaintiff's business, and from interfering with the Plaintiff's property or any part thereof.

And I do further order and appoint Robert Paterson Rithet and Alexander Holmes to carry on the Plaintiff's business of a wholesale and retail butcher for and on behalf of the Plaintiff, and to do all matters and things which may be necessary for the protection and preservation of the Plaintiff's property until the further order of this Court.

With liberty to all parties to apply.

(L.S.) (Signed) HENRY P. PELLEW CREASE, J.

(ENDORSED.) SUPREME COURT.
Reynolds *v.* Batchelor.—Order for Injunction.

TAKE NOTICE that the Writ of Injunction will be drawn up and served on Monday next.

THEODORE DAVIE,
no24 Plaintiff's Solicitor.

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY GIVEN MY POWER OF ATTORNEY to my nephew Job Batchelor, who will in future carry on my business of whatever nature, and no other person is authorized to collect any accounts or to transact any business in my name without his order. F. REYNOLDS.
WITNESS—T. G. Askew.
Nov. 18th, 1878.

WITH REFERENCE TO THE ABOVE I BEG to say that the Power of Attorney formerly held by Alexander Holmes and R. P. Rithet, Esq., has been revoked.
no22 JO. BATCHELOR

NOTICE.

WITH REFERENCE TO STATEMENTS MADE by Job Batchelor to the effect that he holds a Power of Attorney from Mr. FRED'K REYNOLDS to transact business in his name, and that he (the said Job Batchelor) has revoked the Power of Attorney heretofore held by Mr. R. P. Rithet and the undersigned, I beg to state that Mr. R. P. Rithet and the undersigned are duly authorized by Power of Attorney to transact all business in Mr. Reynolds' name; and that that power has not been revoked by him.

All persons are hereby cautioned against having any transactions with the said Job Batchelor on account of Fred'k Reynolds, as the same will not be recognized by his lawful attorneys.

ALEX. HOLMES.
Victoria, Nov. 21, 1878. no22

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BENCH of Licensing Magistrates will sit at the new City Hall, Douglas street, on the 16th of December proximo, at One o'clock p. m., for the purpose of granting new Retail Liquor Licenses, or Transfers of Licenses for the ensuing six months, applications for which must be handed to the City Clerk 14 days before the said day of sitting.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, Nov. 21, 1878. no22

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION.
SHUSWAP MILLING CO., LIMITED LIABILITY.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, WILLIAM BELL Wilson, John Andrew Mara, James McIntosh, and John T. Ussher, of the Town of Kamloops, in the Province of British Columbia, do hereby certify as follows:—

1. That we have formed a Company, and are desirous of incorporating the same under the provisions of the "Companies Act, 1878."
2. The said Company shall be known as the "Shuswap Milling Company, Limited Liability."
3. The objects for which the Company is formed are the purchase of logs and timber, and the manufacture and sale of lumber, the purchase of wheat and other kinds of grain, and the manufacture and sale of flour, bran, shorts and other produce of a grist mill, the breeding and purchase of hogs and the preparation and sale of hams and bacon, and generally such other business as is commonly carried on in connection with a saw-mill and flour-mill.
4. The capital stock of the Company shall be thirty thousand dollars, in three hundred shares of one hundred dollars each.
5. The said Company shall continue in existence for five (5) years.
6. The business of the Company shall be conducted for the first three months after the Incorporation thereof by three Trustees, that is to say:—by John Andrew Mara, James McIntosh and William B. Wilson.
7. The principal place of business of the said Company shall be at the town of Kamloops, in the Electoral District of Yale in British Columbia.
8. A stockholder in the above named Company shall not be individually liable for the debts or liabilities of the said Company, and shall not incur any further liability than the payment of his proportion (based upon the amount of his respective shares) of assessments legally levied in accordance with the provisions of the "Companies Act, 1878," and the charges thereon, if such shares shall be advertised as delinquent, during the time that he was a stockholder, upon a share or shares of which he is the holder, as shown by the stockholders' register book of the said Company. Assessments and charges when taken collectively shall not exceed in the aggregate the par or face value as printed or shown in dollars upon each share when issued.

Dated this Seventh day of September, A. D. 1878.

W. B. WILSON,
J. A. MARA,
JAS. McINTOSH,
JOHN T. USSHER
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DEALER IN
GROCERIES, DRY GOODS
BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS.
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THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID BY the undersigned for Hides in good order:

GREEN HIDES 7 CENTS PER LB.
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CHANGE OF SAILING DAYS.

ON AND AFTER THE FIRST OF December prox. the steamer

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Nov. 26th. no27

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BRITISH BARK "ETHEL," FROM LIVERPOOL.

NEITHER CAPT. GRAHAM, NOR THE UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Wharf St., Nov. 5, 1878. no6

NOTICE.

BRITISH BARQUE "BOTHWELL CASTLE," FROM YOKOHAMA.

NEITHER CAPTAIN HEATH NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the abovenamed vessel.

STAHLSCHMILT & WARD.
Wharf street, 19th October, 1878. oc20

NOTICE.

TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.

THE POWERFUL SCREW STEAM-TUG

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Will Tow Vessels in British Columbia waters at LOWEST RATES.

Apply to the Captain on board, or at the office of
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Victoria, 21st June, 1878. je22tf

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CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERICAN Consuls at Canton as being duly qurlified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted. oc27

NOTICE.

MR. H. S. MASON HAS THIS DAY BEEN ADmitted a partner in the firm of Allsop & Co. The business in future will be carried on under the name of Allsop & Mason.
Dated 4th November, 1878. no5

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS

William Parsons Sayward, Plaintiff.
John Bennett, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED IN this cause.

C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, Nov. 21, 1878. no22

DRESSMAKING.
MRS. F. LUXFORD

WILL RESUME BUSINESS, OCTOBER 15TH, ON PANDORA ST., FIRST HOUSE ABOVE THE SYNAGOGUE.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED BUNster's Flour Mill, on Johnson street, will be prepared to

GRIND "CHOP" FOR CUSTOMERS

On Monday, the 21st inst., and after the 1st of November invite farmers and others having Wheat to grind to favor him with a trial.

WM. SPOFFORD.
Victoria, Oct. 18, 1878, oc18

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FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY,
At the COLONIST OFFI

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Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.
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Customers Supplied at LOWEST RATES, and the Goods Delivered FREE OF CHARGE.
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Expressly manufactured for him by the leading house of MAMLOCK, GREEN & CO., of New York, consisting of all the Latest Styles in
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Listen to the truthful story,
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And it is in Canada stated,
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More than any man can carry;
It would take a week to tell you
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READY AT 6 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING,
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J. GOSNELL'S,
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FINEST HAMS AND BACON CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
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Coal Oil! Coal Oil!
EX EMPIRE.
1000 CS. PRATT'S HIGH TEST OIL.
100 CASES STAR OIL.
FOR SALE BY
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RAILWAY.

Our recent articles on the all-important subject of the Railway have called forth a communication from Senator MACDONALD, which will be found in another part of this issue. We are always glad to hear from Mr. MACDONALD on public matters. Notwithstanding we may find room to challenge the correctness of his deductions, he is generally right in his facts—a quality that all our public men do not possess. Moreover, Mr. MACDONALD is largely interested in the prosperity of the Province, and that fact in itself should be sufficient to give his words weight. It will be remembered that in recent articles we have assumed, as a probable issue of negotiations between the Ottawa and Victoria Governments, that the survey of Pine River Pass—with the view to ascertaining its adaptability for a railway—will be ordered. It is said by engineers that that survey will consume two seasons, and it is plain that during that time no railway work will be undertaken in the Province unless the attention of the Canadian Government shall be meanwhile turned to the construction of a line from Esquimalt to Nanaimo. The significance which a proposition that involves two years' further delay will convey to the British Columbian mind we shall not now discuss. Suffice it to say that the effects would be disastrous. Now, it is believed, by nearly all Islanders, at least, that whether the overland line should first strike salt water at Burrard Inlet, or whether it should terminate at Bute Inlet, Esquimalt must be the ultimate terminus—the point where seagoing vessels will discharge their cargoes of merchandise and take on coal for the outward voyage. We have, therefore, suggested that while Pine River Pass might be in course of examination, the line between Nanaimo and Esquimalt should be built. In further considering the matter we saw that the people of the interior would be practically excluded from participation in the benefits that would flow from the expenditure of a large sum of money in the construction of the Esquimalt-Nanaimo railway. With existing means of communication with the seaboard farmers east of the Cascades find it impossible, in consequence of the high rates of freight, to find a market for most of their productions. They are shut out from a market as rigidly as though a Chinese Wall were built across the country from north to south. They might send us 20,000 tons of cereals annually if only the demand and the opportunity offered, and would not the value of railway expenditure within our borders be enhanced by the stimulation of the agricultural interests of the interior, which now in great measure lie dormant? A railway fram Esquimalt to Nanaimo would create the demand, and a railway from Yale to Savona would furnish the opportunity. Therefore, while the route of the main line would be in course of selection, 200 miles of railway, involving an expenditure of $10,000,000, would be under contract in British Columbia and all sections would derive benefit therefrom. If facile communication with the interior cannot be had—if farmers of the Pacific Province shall not be placed in a position to supply the increased demand for necessaries that can be produced within our borders in abundance,—whence must those necessaries be drawn? Who would continue to supply this market and feed the hands employed on the railway? The Oregon and Washington Territory farmers would reap the greatest amount of profit from railway construction in British Columbia. Victoria is essentially a trading community. The object its business men have in view is to extend their trade by advocating a policy that will cause existing markets to expand and create new ones; and the questions Mr. MACDONALD must ask himself are: first—whether the country can afford to wait two years while Pine River Pass is in course of construction? and, second—whether, supposing the Island line to be begun, it would be most desirable to have the bulk of the monies expended within our own borders or sent abroad to enrich a foreign country? The answer to the first question will be furnished by consulting the freight list of every steamboat that leaves Victoria for New Westminster. In the large and miscellaneous cargoes of merchandise Mr. MACDONADD will see that the farming centres of the interior are very important customers of Victoria merchants, notwithstanding the limited facilities afforded them for the sale of their produce. What their trade would expand to if they could but reach this market is beyond our power of calculation. Let Mr. MACDONALD next visit the steamboats that ply between this port and the Sound and he will find that the goods exported to the American side—whence are drawn the bulk of our provisions for local consumption—scarcely reach ten tons a month; a mere fleabite, indeed, of the commerce of the place. He will then see which is the most desirable population to foster. Shall we draw our flour and provisions from a section that will take our goods and manufactures in exchange, or shall we buy from people who are not our customers and who draw the cash for every shipment? Mr. MACDONALD thinks our advocacy of the construction of the sections of road referred to is "raising a false and dangerous issue, calculated to foster and perpetuate dreams which unfortunately already exist." Now we must confess that we cannot see, if both sections are treated alike, how injustice can be done to either; or where there would be the least chance for complaint by the most chronic grumbler. Every one says that Canada owes this country a large sum of money in compensation for non-fulfilment of the railway compact. Does our correspondent propose to forego that claim in consideration of two years time being spent in the survey of Pine River Pass? or does he propose another "loan" from Canada to Columbia to get us still further in to the toils of a money obligation? It is because we wish to benefit the "*whole* Province" that we offered the suggestion of the simultaneous commencement of railway work on Mainland and Island. In any case—no matter where the main line may eventually be taken—the road must end at Esquimalt, as possessing the best harbor, free from rock and bar, with approaches so easy that a ship in a dense fog may shut its eyes and find its way to a safe anchorage. Mr. Macdonald speaks of the Yale-Savona and the Esquimalt-Nanaimo line as "branch" roads; but surely he will not consent to regard the latter line as in any respect a "branch," and if the main line should be finally carried *via* Bute Inlet the Yale-Savana road would not form part of the trunk line and cannot therefore be regarded as a "branch," but as a colonization road in the fullest sense of the term, because it will open the most important farming section of the Province to settlement and confer lasting benefit on Victoria and her merchants by giving them a large addition to their customers. If the line should be carried *via* Fraser River then the Yale-Savona line would become part of the main road. In either case we cannot see that a "false and dangerous issue" is involved, when the internal development of the Province is sought. "If," says Senator Macdonald, "your ideas were adopted, and extended a little, every farmer might claim compensation because the Railway did not pass through his farm." The writer speaks of a Railway as a farmer would of a new barn, or a plough, or a wagon. It is not *individual* or *sectional* interests that are sought to be subserved by railway construction, and if Mr. MACDONALD will turn to our first article on the subject he will discover that we then stated that the idea of an overland railway was suggested by the national requirements of the Dominion, not the provincial wants of British Columbia. We have always declined to regard the great work from the standpoint of sectionalism; and when Mr. MACDONALD seeks to reduce it to the low plane of individualism he but weakens his own argument—not ours. We say again, that if a survey of Pine River Pass be determined on further delay will be necessary, and the country will not be content to see railway work remain in abeyance while the necessary examinations are being made. Besides, what will become of the threat of the Government to secede if railway construction be not commenced on or before May 1st? The concluding portion of Mr. MACDONALD's letter, where he pleads for "time" for the Government in which to "mature its policy," would seem to indicate that he is preparing the public mind for a great disappointment, and that, even in the face of what he regards as an inevitable consequence, he is indisposed to accept an expenditure of $10,000,000 within the Province in the next two years. Perhaps, like a certain modern warrior he fights for an "idea," and is willing to let realities slip by unimproved.

THE WAR ON INTEMPERANCE.

In the current number of the *Contemporary Review* appears three remarkable articles, written by eminent men, in favor of *moderation in the use of alcoholic stimulants* as opposed to total abstinence. The lovers of port and porter, claret and Bass' pale ale, brandy, whiskey, &c., &c., are in ecstacies, and are already crowing lustily over the "fanatical teetotalers." Their triumph will be short-lived, for in the first-place the names of Dr. Richardson, Sir H. Thompson, and Sir W. Gull, not to mention numerous other physicians, who pronounced very decidedly *against* even the moderate use as a beverage of these poisonous stimulants, will surely outweigh the names of the *trio* who write in the interests of the Licensed Victuallers' organization. But even these three champions may be safely led to answer and vanquish each other. For instance, Dr. Brunton concludes his article by saying that "if a man is healthy *he does not need alcohol*; and as a rule, *is better without it.*" Sir H. Thompson said, in a letter to the Archbishop of Canterbury, "I have long held the conviction that there is no greater evil, moral and physical, in this country than the *use* (mark! not abuse) of alcohol beverages. I do not mean by this that extreme indulgence which produces drunkenness, but the habitual use of fermented drinks which is quite common in all ranks of society *injures the body and diminishes the mental power to an extent few people are aware of.*" The Right Hon. John Bright said a few days ago, in a letter to the Rev. Dr. Whitelaw, of Haddington, in reference to poverty in Scotland:—"The great whiskey question is one which your Presbytery may consider to some advantage. If all the ministers of the Scotch Churches were to banish whiskey from their houses, and the consumption of it from their customs or social habits, they would do much to discredit and to withdraw one fertile source of poverty and suffering in Scotland." Mr. S. Morley, M. P., at the Congregational Union meeting in Wales the other day, called upon the ministers and laymen present to use their most powerful efforts, not only by their testimony, but by the power of their example, to remove this dreadful curse of intemperance from the country. He quoted the testimony of eminent medical men to show that alcohol was not beneficial to the human frame, and said that one of our largest insurance offices has been able to prove by a close observance to their tables for 20 years, that there was a large increase in the duration of life on the part of abstainers.

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THOS. HARRIS, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, Dec. 3d, 1878. de4

GRAND JURORS' NOTICE.

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MEETING--MINING STOCK BOARD.

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JOHN WEILER.

Victoria, Nov. 16th, 1878. no17

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M. A. BITANCOURT.

Witness—Edwin Johnson, Barrister-at-Law, Victoria.
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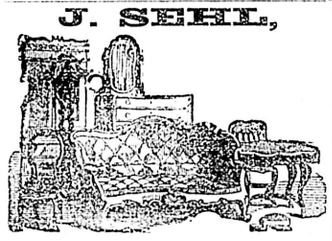

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BUTTER & CREAM CHEESE.

Victoria, V. I., Nov. 28, 1878. J. H. TODD. no29 1m

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REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

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no5 VICTORIA, B. C.

MUNICIPAL REAL ESTATE TAX.

OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE ARE HEREBY NOtified that the above tax is now in arrear, and payable at my office, Broughton street.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.

Victoria, Nov. 4th 1878. no5

Daily Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, DEC. 5TH, 1878.

MARRIED.

At New Westminster, on the 29th Nov., by the Rev. R. Jamieson, Mr. H. Hoy to Marion Bonson, eldest daughter of Mr. L. F. Bonson.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO., will sell at 11 o'clock, at salesrooms, Superior Furniture, Carpets, etc.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

LORNE.

RECEPTION OF THE VICE-REGAL PARTY AT OTTAWA.

A SEVERE STORM STOPS THE CEREMONIES.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

OTTWA, Ont,, Dec. 3.—Although a drizzling rain continued from early morn until the arrival of the Vice-Regal train the city was full of stangers and citizens and all classes, irrespective of creed or nationality, joined in one grand outburst of enthusiasm. The welcome was broad, hearty and generous and demonstrated in an unmistakeable manner the loyalty of the Canadian people. Wellington, Sparks, Rideau and other streets were profusely decorated with evergreens, mottoes and bunting. Upon the arrival of the train their Excellencies were conducted to the beautifully decorated pavillion by the Mayor and City Aldermen, where the address of the corporation was presented to which the Governor-General fitly replied. At the conclusion of the speech the Governor-General and Princess were escorted to the Vice-Regal residence. All the other ceremonies, illumination, and torchlight procession, are postponed on account of the storm.

THE AFGHANISTAN WAR.

The Road Clear to Cabul.

[From our Special War Correspondent.]

LONDON, Dec. 4—The Viceroy telegraphs that intelligence has been received that Jellalabad has been evacuated and that no Afghan troops are nearer than Cabul.

LONDON, Dec. 4—A Lahore dispatch says Gen. Roberts finding the enemy concentrated in sufficient strength to justify the hope of inflicting a crushing defeat on the Ameer's forces has delayed the attack until the arrival of all his supplies and transports, so as to be able to follow up any advantage gained. A dispatch from the Viceroy of India also states that Gen. Roberts is halting to allow his troops to rest and his supplies to come forward. The Afghans are at the top of Peywar Pass and are known to have two batteries of horse artillery.

A NEW CANADIAN LOAN PLACED ON THE LONDON MARKET.

Ninety-six and a-Half the Minimum.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—A Canadian loan of three million pounds at four per cent., guaranteed by the Imperial Government, has been placed on the market. Minimum price, 96½.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Ophir 37¾; Mex 27½; C & C 7¼; B & B 18; Cala 9¾; Savage 10½; Con Va 7⅞; Chollar 36; H&N 10¾; Cala 9¾; Savage 10½; Point 4.50; Jacket 12½; Impl 65; Kentuck 4½; Alpha 9¼; Belcher 4.50; Confidence 6; S Nev 46½; Utah 16¾; Bullion 5; Exchequ 3.90; Overman 12; Justice 4¼; Seg Belcher 20; Succor 90; Union 46¾; Utah 16; Caledonia 2½; Julia 3.

CHILLIWHACK.—The *Guardian's* correspondent writing from Chilliwhack under date the 2nd inst., says: "We are having a very mild winter so far, though a little more rain than desirable; during last month there has fallen 6.66 inches. Stock is doing well on the ranges; very little hay fed up to the present. A social will be given at the Episcopal parsonage here on the evening of the 5th inst. Some parties from your city are expected to assist in the entertainment. The annual Wesleyan Missionary meeting will be held here in the Atchletch Church on the 4th inst., and in the Cheam school-house on the 5th inst.; the chairman of the district, Rev. Mr. Derrick, will be present. A meeting of the Chilliwhack Agricultural Society was held on the 30th ult., the President, A. C. Wells, presiding. A committee, consisting of the President, S. Cawley, Esq., Geo. W. Chadsey, Esq., and J. Reece, Esq., was appointed to make arrangements for fencing the agricultural grounds. The Luckakuck bridge is under repairs by the Municipal Council. Our roads are in a fearful state, except that portion of the Trunk Road which was gravelled by the late Government."

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt arrived here yesterday afternoon from New Westminster with 140 barrels and 3,040 cases of salmon and the following passengers on board: Mrs. Dr. Trimble, Miss N. Chenowith, Miss S. Irving, J. Short, T. E. Ladner, J. Withrow, C. B. Sword, J. W. Hennesey, W. Poole, O. Evans, G. R. Ashwell, W. Teague, N. Murphy, J. C. Davis, D. Ross, J. Morgan, Thos. Moore, J. Whitfield, J. W. Harvey, Jenson and Parks.

FROM THE EAST COAST. — The steamer Maude arrived here arrived here at 4:30 p.m. yesterday from Nanaimo and settlements on the East Coast with the mails and following passengers:—Mrs. C. Loat, Mrs. Vipond, Mrs. Earl, Messrs. Nicholson, Kingstone, R. D. Symonds. C. Loat, W. McCord, E. Fleming, E. Pimbury, M. P.P., W. J. Sutton and G. Mills.

LIVE STOCK.—A band of beeves from Mr. L. Campbell's range at Kamloops, arrived per steamer Olympia yesterday for Messrs. Goodacre & Dooley.

Lecture on Water.

A very interesting, scientific and instructive lecture on "water" was delivered at the hall of the Mechanics' Institute last evening by the Rev. H. H. Mogg. The reverend gentleman was introduced to a numerouss audience by Dr. Ash. The lecturer in introducing the subject dwelt on its vastness, and explained how any one section might form subject matter not for one lecture but for a whole series. He explained why he had chosen such a familiar subject as water, because people were apt to forget plain, scientific truths in connection with everyday life. Having alluded to the important part water played in the economy of the world, he said he would ask the audience to direct their attention to a mere drop, as it was quite sufficient for the purpose of the lecture. He proposed to follow a drop through its lifetime. The first question that arose was "what is it?" Having explained the difference between a simple and compound body and alluded to the Aristotelian theory of the four elements, the lecturer showed how water was a compound body, and next proceeded to show its components parts, hydrogen and oxygen. This was effectively done by the decomposition being projected on a screen by the powerful oxy-hydrogen light. The nature of the gases was shown by a series of beautiful experiments. Having produced water the lecturer explained the formation of clouds. The different classes were made evident by photographs from clouds substituted by the lantern. Passing on, rain, hail and snow were successively explained. The latter was dwelt upon as illustrative of the wonderful power of the forces of crystalization and the order and method observable in nature. During the interval several interesting slides were exhibited, more or less connected with the subject, by Mr. Langley by the aid of his powerful lantern. The last slide depicted the glacier of the Mere de Glace, and this engaged the attention of the lecturer, who dwelt upon the causes and appearance of glaciers. The Rev. gentleman then concluded by showing the Drummond light, and a vote of thanks having been tendered him the audience dispersed highly delighted with the instructive entertainment.

Chilliwhack.

Colonel Patterson and his partner, from Nootsack, W. T., who were taking out saw logs above Popkum for Pitchford's saw mill on Sumas, went across the line rather hurriedly about two weeks ago, and left their workmen and others in a pecuniary predicament. Messrs. Boyd & Wells bought W. J. Armstrong's grist mill, and workmen are busy getting it put in position on the west bank of the Luck-a-kuck. Robt. Stevenson got a bad fall off a spirited horse the other day, but it is expected he will soon get over the effects of it. A licensing court was held last Saturday, but no action was taken as a resident objected that no notice was given, and that the 15th current was the proper date; Dame Rumor says that 60 males are for liquor, and over 70 males and 30 females against it. The Agricultural Society held a meeting on Saturday and appointed a committee to get a fence and hall erected on their grounds.

Cheap Litigation.

The revised tariff of law costs which appeared in the extra *Gazette* published by the Government on Tuesday last renders litigation, which has hitherto been looked upon as a luxury to be indulged in only by the wealthy, a mere commonplace dish within the reach of all classes. The reduction, which is very considerable, has frequently been advocated by *The Colonist*, inasmuch as it is simple justice that the Courts of Justice should be open alike to rich and poor. In the past when a suitor entered into litigation the cost of his suit, win or lose, was an insoluble problem; but now by scanning over the new tariff he can, within a few dollars, calculate what legal redress will cost him. Fees payable to the Crown have also been materially reduced, and in every other particular the scale has been perceptibly lowered.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.]

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 4.

John Oxford, charged with vagrancy, was fined $10, or one month's imprisonment in default of payment, and a Cowichan Indian for being drunk and disorderly, was fined $1,25 or six hours' imprisonment.

Theatre Royal.

Miss Augusta L. Dargon and "Leah," for whom we have long been waiting, have come at last, and to-night we shall be able to appreciate at her true value the actress that thrilled the New Yorkers and moved the San Francisco and Portland public for many successive nights. We bespeak for the lady a crowded house.

SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES.—Mr. J. H. Mullan, agent for these machines, has established himself in this city at Fawcett & Co's. upholstery, and will receive constant additions to his stock of machines, of all grades and prices. The time-system, by which machines may be purchased and paid for on the instalment plan, has been introduced by Mr. Mullan. The company will ship a horse and delivery wagon by the next steamer to leave San Francisco, for use in this city. Singer's machines, purchased fourteen years ago, from Fawcett & Co., are still in use and doing good service in Victoria. This is a fact that speaks well for the durability of the Singer.

NAVAL.—Vice Admiral Farquhar has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of Devonport dockyard....The Turquoise is under orders to sail from Esquimalt in a week or ten days' time for Panama, there to meet the Admiral....Either the Turquoise or the Opal will return to this station with the flagship in the spring....At latest advices the flagship Triumph and the Shah were cruising off the coasts of Chili and Peru.

GRAND DIAMOND RAFFLE.—At the Pavilion Skating Rink on the evening of Dec. 4th, 1878, B. C. Pettingell will raffle the large and well-known 5½-carat DIAMOND RING and PIN formerly belonging to J. Lovett. Two hundred chances at $5 a chance. The Raffle will be conducted in a way satisfactory to all ticket-holders, whether they be present or not. No ticket will be good unless paid for in advance. *

NANAIMO.—A sailor of the ship Rose Welt is supposed to have been drowned in the harbor. Efforts made to recover the body were fruitless....The bark J. D. Peters is loading at Newcastle....The bark Bride and schooner Hera have gone to sea with Wellington coal.

Fraser River Fisheries.

Capt. Pittendrigh, Fishery Overseer, has furnished the following statistics with reference to the various fisheries on Fraser River for the season just brought to a close. He says that 255 boats of all kinds worth nearly $10,000 were employed, using nearly $50,000 worth of nets, and giving employment to close upon 2,500 men. As a result we have 5,000 and odd barrels of salted, and over 5,000,000 lbs. of canned fish, and also 1,500 gallons of herring oil valued at 50 cents a gallon. The increased development of this important resource of the Province cannot fail to be gratifying.

NEW WESTMINSTER ITEMS.—During Sunday night last, about half a dozen dogs, some of them valuable ones, were poisoned on the streets....The *Herald* understands that Capt. Irving has purchased a site for a ship yard, on the opposite side of the river, near the B. C. Packing Co's. cannery, and that the ways, etc., will be built at once....Lt.-Col. Houghton, D. A. G., arrived on Tuesday to inspect the militia....The up-river steamer will only run once a week after Saturday next; leaving this city on Saturdays and returning on Mondays.... Mr. H. Hoy was married to Miss M. Bonson on the 29th inst.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Olympia arrived here at 2:30 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster with the lower mainland mails, 35 head of cattle from Mr. L. Campbell's range, Kamloops, for Messrs. Goodacre & Dooley, 40 bales of hay, a quantity of miscellaneous freight and the following passengers:—Mr. and Mrs. Hennessy, Mrs. R. S. Hale, Mrs. Reid, Messrs. J. Hunter, L. Campbell, L. Gold, D. F. Fee, J. T. Schiefer. W. Hanson, J. S. Harmon, J. Loff, S. T. Lawrence, J. Graham, H. Pearson, T. Mollen, J. Mooney, Paul Barclay, T. H. Robson, J. G. Jenkin, J. Frayer and F. Mayfew.

OFFICERS B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.—The following gentlemen were elected at a meeting held yesterday evening to serve as officers of the B. C. Pioneer Society for the ensuing year. Thos. Elwyn, President (re-elected); Charles Morton, Vice President; Dr. Trimble, Physician; E. Grancini, Treasurer; Charles Kent, Secretary; D. W. Chaney, C. Bossi, G. Poppenberger, C. J. Phillip, Directors; T. Innes, Warden.

MARINE.—The ship Lodore, lumber laden for Melbourne, will arrive in Royal Roads to-day from Moody, Nelson & Co's mill, Burrard Inlet, in tow of the steamer Beaver. The ship Rosie Welt, coal laden from Nanaimo for San Francisco, was taken in tow yesterday by the steamer Pilot. On reaching Plumper Pass one of the condenser pipes of the Pilot gave out and she anchored for repairs.

COURT OF ASSIZE.—Grand Jurors are notified to attend at the Supreme Court at 10 o'clock this morning; Petty Jurors at 11 o'clock. "Herein fail not."

The Railway—Letter from Senator Macdonald.

EDITOR COLONIST:—In reading your article of last Friday I was impressed with the idea that you were raising a false and dangerous issue in advocating compensation to one part of the Province for any public work which might be undertaken in another part. Your suggestions are a great mistake, for if carried out nothing could be better calculated to foster and perpetuate the divisions which unfortunately already exist. We must look at the Province as it ought to be, and as it is supposed to be looked at from the governing centre—as an undivided whole; and that what would benefit one section would benefit all. The Island Railway was not offered to the Islanders as compensation for work performed, or about to be performed, on the Mainland; but as compensation to the *whole* Province for delays in the construction of the Pacific Railway, and no doubt the intention was that it should form part of the main line, for at that time everything pointed to Bute Inlet route, and if this work had gone on, would not the Mainland traders and farmers have participated in the benefits as much as the Islander? would the workmen not consume their beef, fish, bacon and butter as readily as that produced on the Island?

Had the Island Railway never been promised, and had the Fraser River route been adopted, would it not have been absurd for the people of Vancouver Island to claim compensation, as if they were not a part of the Province? They would have no claim. Wherever the railway will be placed on the Mainland, the people of this section will use their best endeavors to share the benefits, and although they might ask for such things as would improve the line and facilitate communication it could not be in the way of compensation.

If your idea were adopted, and extended a little, every farmer might claim compensation because the railway did not pass through his farm. Railway construction in any section of the Province does not and cannot entitle any other section to compensation. In your article of Tuesday you write as if the proposition of branch, or compensation lines, were within our grasp. In my opinion it is not, and for these reasons: A branch line, or lines, might be got if we sacrificed the main transcontinental line. Are the people prepared to do this? Most decidedly not. Then, again, if Canada can scarcely build the main line, and if all the resources of the country must be taxed to do this, is it likely that branches will be built; it is hardly possible; in short, it is not to be thought of.

I am not speaking against the utility of branches. On the contrary, I think they would be desirable in many parts of the country; but we must first have the trunk—then the branches. I am in favor of a survey of Pine River Pass, yet I do not consider myself a stagnationist, or guilty of a crime or blunder. We have waited so long that we had better wait a little longer to ensure the very best line that can be had. Far better thus, than a fatal mistake which would be a standing monument of supreme folly from generation to generation. No half loaf has been offered to us, and we are not going to ask for it when we are entitled to a loaf and a half. Neither will a half loaf be offered to us by the present administration. The people of Canada have only one idea of a Pacific Railway, and that is, a through line from ocean to ocean. No water stretch or branch humbug. The people can now feel that in selecting the route of the Pacific Railway through this Province that the Government will not be influenced by fear or favor; that no effort will be made to feed sectional jealousies; that the selection will not be made to please any person or persons, or through any backdoor influence; but solely on the merits of the line, looking to its national, military and commercial advantages, and to its being one of the future highways of the world.

In conclusion, I will only say that we must not expect too much of the present Government this next year; we must take into account the financial state—not of Canada alone, but of the whole world. Our railway cannot be built without foreign money, and our Government must have time to mature its policy. W. J. MACDONALD.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

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Morning Dispatch.

CANADA.

HALIFAX, Dec. 3—H.M.S. Orontes, on her passage hence for Bermuda, lost a man overboard. A boat's crew of 13, who went to the rescue, were all drowned by the capsizing of the boat.

EUROPE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 3.—Sulieman Pasha has been degraded and sentenced to confinement in a fortress for his conduct during the war.

The Russians have evacuated various places in the neighborhood of Dematica.

BELGRADE, Dec. 3.—Several skirmishes have taken place between Albanian and Servian outposts and some men have been killed and wounded.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—A special from Berlin says Herr Most, member of the Reichstag, who is now in prison, has been ordered to quit Berlin when his term shall have expired. He and several others similarly expelled have resolved to emigrate to America.

Evening Dispatch.

EUROPE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 4.—Sulieman Pasha was sentenced to 15 years' imprisonment. He has taken an appeal.

BORDEAUX, Dec. 4.—The director of the mint has been arrested, charged with abstracting thirteen hundred thousand francs' worth of silver bars belonging to Rothschilds, and substituting galvanized copper bars.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 4.—The Ministry has been dismissed.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 4.—M. Tkendt, manager, and M. Fortamps, president Banque de Belgiane, who defrauded the bank of twenty million francs. have been convicted and sentenced, the former to fifteen years' solitary confinement, and the latter to one year's imprisonment, with twelve hundred dollars fine.

VIENNA, Dec. 4.—The return of the reserves from Bosnia and Herzegovina has been stopped, and many have been ordered to rejoin their regiments.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Bulgarian boundary commission has returned safely to Constantinople after considerable danger. The Buigarians besieged the English and Turkish commissioners two days.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The *Times'* leading editorial severely censures Gladstone's speech for the tendency of its influence on the fortunes of the country no less than on those of the Liberal party.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 4.—The Porte has announced its readiness to discuss a definite treaty of peace with Russia, whose attitude appears to be conciliatory.

VIENNA, Dec. 4.—The Emperor has summoned the Reichsrath to assemble on the tenth inst.

After the Smash.

The failure of the Glasgow City Bank still occupies attention (1) next Tuesday the first call upon the shareholders will probably be made, and that call means ruin to numbers of them; (2) bankruptcies are announced every day, as the result of the stoppage of the City Bank; and (3) a West End doctor in Glasgow has stated that two of his patients, who are shareholders, have lost their reason and been sent to a lunatic asylum, while several others connected with the bank have been completely prostrated in serious illness, induced by this commercial disaster. Great indignation is felt against the Directors as fresh revelations of fraud are made. At the meeting of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce held a few days ago, it was stated that during the last 5 weeks there had been 174 English and Scotch bankruptcies, and upwards of 1,200 liquidations. I enclose you a touching poetic appeal entitled "The cry of the Maiden Shareholders," recently published in Scotland. It has awakened many a sympathetic response and thousands of pounds are being subscribed to help those whom this great disaster has overwhelmed.—*London Corr.*

Epping Sausages.

Let some of Cambridge sausages talk,
And others of Oxford brag;
But both of them may go take a walk,
While Epping will pocket the swag;
For Epping's the place for sausages famed,
Before Oxford or Cambridge ever were named,
And JOE. GOSNELL on Douglas street is the man
Who can furnish them made on the Epping plan.

JUST RECEIVED AT LONDON HOUSE.---BLK. CLOTH JOCKETY, TWEED ULSTERS, FUR JACKETS, FUR SETS, WOOL GOODS, HATS, FEATHERS, FLOWERS, &C., &C.
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Canadian Mail.

[Per steamer Isabel.]

The Smith's Falls *News* tells the following sad story:—A man living near Beverley lake, whose name could not be ascertained, had been sick some time, and on the morning in question his brother, living on the opposite side of the lake, came over to see him in a boat; on reaching the shore he met a son of the sick man, and asked after his brother's health; the boy, bursting into tears, replied that his father was dead. On receiving this startling intelligence the visitor fell back in the boat, and expired almost immediately. His wife, on hearing of the sudden decease of her husband, coupled with the unwelcome news of her brother-in-law's death, went out of her mind, and is now hopelessly insane."

In consequence of the offering of ten dollars reward for every conviction in West Durham of any person infringing the provisions of the Dunkin Act, the hotel-keepers in Bowmanville closed their houses and refused to furnish any accommodation to the public. A meeting of merchants was held to consider the matter, and a committee was appointed to interview the hotel-keepers, police magistrate, inspector, and others interested, and see what arrangements could be made to have the hotels reopen. and have further prosecutions waived till such time as measures could be taken to test the validity of the Act—one of which was to be the obtaining of the Attorney-General's opinion on the matter. It was also resolved to petition the Mayor to call a public meeting on Tuesday evening to take steps to have the Act repealed.

A monkey belonging to Albert Kostote, a German living at Pelion's Corners, in Essex County, took a great fancy to his master's wife, who was a good-looking woman, and whenever Kostote paid her any special attention, showed great signs of anger. Last week Kostote was caressing his wife, when the monkey flew at him with terrible fury, tearing pieces of flesh out of his hands and arms, and nearly killing him. Mr. Kostote and the other members of the family, with great difficulty, succeeded in beating the furious animal off and Kostote then went for a neighbour, who put a bullet through its brain.

MONTREAL, November 20.—Archibald Thompson, who was arrested for theft is 80 years old and has passed 60 years in jail for thieving.

It is reported that the mission of Sir A. T. Galt and the Finance Minister to England is partly to have Canada included with England in the commercial treaties with other countries.

The editor of the Tilsonburg *Liberal* declares that after his experience of 17th September, he will take no more stock in anybody's forcasting of the result of an election. "When," he says, "we have got money to bet we stake it on a horse race, a game of poker, or something more reliable than an election.

Borrowed Splendor.

A Paris corespondent writing of the parvenues that infest the gay metropolis says: They have also done much injury, because many families imitate their luxuries without having the means to do so. There are many houses in Paris where the evening entertainments are very brilliant; but this is a borrowed splendor. The pictures which attract your eye are hired of the picture dealer, the gilt chairs and settees of the furniture dealer, the diamonds and pearls which the lady of the house wears are borrowed from the jeweller, and hardly has the last guest left the house when these costly articles must be returned to the owners. Even the fruits, the gigantic apples and pears, which stand on the table in silver vases, are, like the vases, hired for the occasion. Not infrequently a magnificent carp is placed upon such tables and after having excited the admiration of the guests for a few minutes it is removed. The guests are then served with little pieces of diminutive carp, but the magnificent fish, "like the baseless fabric of a vision," has vanished into thin air. It was also hired, and after playing its short part, it has returned to the dealer in delicacies. A fish cannot, of course, delight the eyes very long without offending the olfactories, but there are always in Paris fruits of a rare beauty, which during the winter season appear on the table of numerous houses, and it may happen that a guest who has seen a pear on a table in the Rue de Richelieu during the month of January will greet the same as an old acquaintance in February on a table in some other quarter of the city. It is the old story of trying to throw dust in the eyes of the world in order to attract influential guests to the house, to marry the daughters, and to provide the sons with Government positions. This does not always work, but there are some who succeed, and the prize is well worth the trouble; but those who are unsuccessful end by ruining themselves, and when it is too late, they see that Fortune runs after her favorites, but is seldom attained by those who pursue her.

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Electro Plated Ware,
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REMOVAL. — Mr. Jungerman, watchmaker and jeweller, will remove to the new brick building on the corner of Government and Bastion streets on or about the 10th inst. Mr. Jungerman has added largely to his stock which now presents increased inducements for the patronage of his customers and the general public. *

RAFFLE FOR A HOMESTEAD.—Attention is called to the advertisement of a raffle for a home. A handsome building lot, 66x300 feet, situated on Pandora avenue, worth $1,250, to be had for $5. Tickets may be obtained at the principal places of business. *

An English Beef-Steak Pudding.

Olive Logan has obtained direct from a Temple Bar English cook, the following receipt for making that celebrated dish a beefsteak pudding. The quantities given are for four persons:

1 Make a crust of half a pound of suet, chopped fine; one pound of flour, half saltspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of baking powder, mixed together, and sufficient cold water added to make it a stiff paste.

2. Cut one-third of the paste for the cover of the pudding basin in which the pudding is to be boiled. Roll the rest of the paste to the size required to line the pudding basin. Grease with butter the pudding basin, and lay the paste in neatly.

3 Take two pounds of beef cut in slices. Dip each slice in flour as you lay it in the basin along with two kidneys; a little chopped parsley, a bit of good butter the size of an egg, a few drops of Worchestershirse-sauce a teacupful of water. half a saltspoonful of salt, ditto of pepper.

4. Roll out the paste cover to the size of the top of the basin, wet the edges of the paste which lines the basin, then lay the cover on and press the two edges together. Dip your nice clean pudding cloth in boiling water, flour it, tie it over the top of the basin.

5 Place the basin in a saucepan of boiling water and keep it boiling four hours. For serving take off the cloth, turn the basin over on a nice warm plate, remove basin.

This leaves your pudding the round pudding shape on top, though the bottom is flat. When you stick your spoon in, the gravy will run out, luscious and healthy, and the meat within be as tender as young chicken. I should perhaps mention that the pudding basin referred to is a bowl of crockery, holding a quart, with a thick rim around the top, which makes it easy to tie the cloth on with a string.

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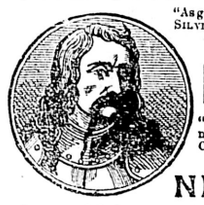

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Do. *via* Port Townsend..	Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 4:30 P. M.	Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 P. M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Once a month at irregular date.....	On the 20th of Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., and 10th Dec.
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Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P. M.....	Thursday at 6 P. M.
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Comox and East Coast offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P. M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P. M.
Esquimalt.....	Daily at 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.	Daily at 11.30 A. M. and 4.30 P. M.
Metchosin.....	Monday at 1 P. M.....	Tuesday at 12 noon.
Saanich.....	Wednesday at 9 A. M.....	Wednesday at 12 noon.
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Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

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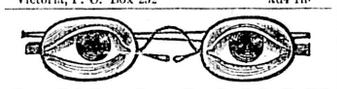

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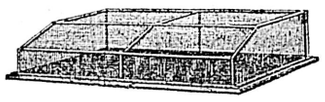

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E. M. FURSTENAU, } Executors.
CHAS. A. SEMLIN, }
Cache Creek, Oct. 1st, 1878. oc6dw

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

CANADA, Province of British Columbia, District of New Westminster.

IN THE COUNTY COURT, NEW WESTMINSTER.

In the matter of G. B. Murray, an Insolvent.

ON TUESDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF DECEMBER next, the undersigned will apply to the said Court for a discharge under the said Act.

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F. REYNOLDS.
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 11, 1878. no12

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To leave Yale on Monday at 10 a. m. and on Friday at 6 a. m., and to arrive at New Westminster on the afternoon of the same days.

The contractor, if necessary to secure a connection with the mail from Barkerville, to defer the departure from Yale for a period not exceeding TWELVE hours.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices at New Westminster, Yale and Victoria, or at the office of the subscriber.

R. WALLACE, P. O. Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 2nd Nov., 1878. de1dw

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ASSESSMENT No. 2.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of the said company, held on the 11th day of November, 1878, an assessment of One Cent per Share was levied upon the capital stock of the said company, payable on the 19th day of November, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B.C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 17th day of December, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 23d day of January, 1879, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHARLES WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, B.C. no26dw

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE CARIBOO Quartz Mining Company will be held at Barkerville on Tuesday, December 12th, 1878, to receive financial statement and report of Directors; to elect a Board of Directors, and to transact such other business as may be brought before it.

Proxy Forms can be obtained on application to Charles Morton, Langley street, Victoria.

CHARLES WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, B. C., Nov. 21, 1878. no24dw

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE SALE of Delinquent Shares in the above Company has been postponed till the Ninth of December next at 11 a. m., when the same will be sold at the office of George Byrnes, Barkerville. Delinquent Shareholders will please take note of this.

CHARLES WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, Nov. 21, 1878. no24dw

NOTICE.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.

THE THIRD ASSESSMENT OF ONE-THIRD OF One Cent per Share on the Capital Stock of the above Company, levied on 15th November, 1878, is now due and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, Quesnelle, B.C., and will be delinquent on 15th December, 1878.

R. J. SKINNER, Secty.
Quesnelle, B.C., 15th Nov., 1878. no24dw1m

NOTICE.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED SHARES ARE delinquent in respect of the 2nd Assessment of one-sixth of one cent per share, levied on the 15th October, 1878. These shares, or so many of them as will cover the amount due with interest and expenses, will be sold by Public Auction at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B.C., on Saturday, 7th December, 1878, unless payment with interest and expenses be made before that date.

Name	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.
John R. Tait	245	100
A. Barlow	262	250
do	455	100
do	456	100
P. Malloy	526	320
Douglas R. Wilson	517	200
C. Towns	520	100
do	521	1000
do	522	45
E. N. Riotte	516	500
John Scott	481	150
P. Willette	440	225
Egerton Sully	425	250
do	426	250
J. W. Crawford	370	120
do	371	700
Charles McInnes	231	200
John W. Johnston	230	200
Charles Wilson	482	5000
do	483	1000
do	485	1000
do	486	1000
do	487	1000
do	488	1000
do	489	500
do	490	500
do	491	500
do	492	500
do	493	100
do	494	100
do	505	100
do	506	100
do	507	100
do	508	136
Mrs. Minnie Wilson	495	100
do	496	100
do	497	100
do	498	400
do	499	50
do	500	50
do	501	50
do	502	50
do	503	50
do	504	50
T. R. Pattullo (not issued)		13,636
H. B. Early (not issued)		4,445

R. J. SKINNER, Secty.
Quesnelle, B.C., 15th Nov., 1878. no23dw1m

ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF (10c.) TEN Cents per share on the capital stock of the above Company, levied on the 20th day of November, and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, will be delinquent on the 21st day of December, 1878.

D. GUTMANN, Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 20th, 1878. no21

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT APPLICATION WILL BE MADE AT THE next Session to the Legislative Assembly for the passage of a Private Bill to grant facilities to John Fraser Torrence and others for the speedy acquisition of the Title in fee simple to the four Mineral Claims in Cherry Creek District, surveyed by Edgar Dewdney, M. P., and recorded under the names of Fleur de Lis, Silver Lily, St. Michael and St. George in records and

—receipts numbers 7,301, 7,302, 7,303 and 7,304,
or

no20dw J. FRASER TORRANCE.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT NO. 5 OF TWO AND A-HALF Cents per Share, levied this day and payable at the Company's office in Victoria, will be delinquent on 11th November next,

By order of the Board.
G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Victoria, 15th Oct., 1878. oc16dw

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF ONE-SIXTH of one cent per share on the capital stock of the above company, levied on the 15th October and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, will be delinquent on the 15th November, 1878.

By order of the Directors.
R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.
Quesnelle, B.C., 15th Oct., 1878. oc27dw

FOSTER GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NO. 2 ASSESSMENT.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF ONE AND A HALF (1½) cents per share on the capital stock of the above company has this day been levied, and is payable at the Company's office at Stanley, or at this office in Victoria, B. C., and will be delinquent on the 2nd December next.

By order of the Directors.
W. W. DODD, Secretary.
Stanley, B. C., 2nd Nov., 1878. no10

I. O. G. T.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LODGE No. 1, I. O. G. T meets every Friday Evening at 8 precisely at their Hall, Yates street.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JAMES SHEPHERD and John Goodacre have entered into partnership, and will carry on business as butchers under the style of Shepherd, Goodacre & Company, in the premises on Yates street, opposite the Alhambra Hall.

JAMES SHEPHERD,
JOHN GOODACRE.
Victoria Nov. 7, 1878. no8

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WEDNESDAY, Jan. 22d,
M. W. T. DRAKE, ESQ. - - - - - Ancient Egypt

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 5th,
THE REV P. JENNS.—"The Microphone," its Physicial Action and Use, Experimentally Illustrated.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 19th.
MR. JUSTICE GRAY.—Due notice of subject will be given

WEDNESDAY, March 5th.
THE VEN. ARCHDEACON WRIGHT.—Abyssinia and the Abyssinians

WEDNESDAY, March 19th.—Not yet settled.

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